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Applicant: DOUGLAS J. MURRAY )  
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For: MULTILATERAL REFERENCE POINT ) Confirmation No. 1868

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions under 37 CFR §1.111, applicant submits the following preliminary amendment for entry prior to the first action on the merits in the above-identified application.

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